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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator
Elton C. Woodward

Town Clerk
Hazel W. Huckins

Selectmen
Henry A. Horton
Glenn F. Pease
Marshall G. Hall

Town Treasurer
Hazel W. Huckins

Road Agent
Bradley Z. Morey

Library Trustees
Dorothy M. Love
Ruth M. Swan
Janet M. Becton

Auditors
Elton C. Woodward
Chester Greenly

Supervisors of the Check List
Maurice F. Bean
Arthur L. Franklin
Norman C. Woodward

Ballot Clerks
Hattie B. Davis
Andrew J. Bedell
Jeffrey J. Bean
Dorothy Love

Overseer of Poor
Harold W. Swan

Fence Viewers
Walter R. Mack
Arthur L. Franklin
Norman C. Woodward

Sextons
Henry L. Patch
Harvey L. Washburn
Glenn F. Pease

Chief of Fire Department
Henry A. Horton

Chief of Police
Lawrence Huntington

Health Officer
John W. Hammond

Dog Constable
Fred J. Sanborn (deceased)

Surveyors
Arthur L. Franklin
Ralph R. Mack

Trustee of Trust Fund
Gertrude V. Warren
William Dooley
Harrison F. Niles

Budget Committee
Hazel W. Huckins
Henry A. Horton
F. Fairfield McCann
Norman Woodward
Walter B. Dennis
William G. Clark
One Member of School Board

TOWN WARRANT

State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the Town of Orford, in the County of Grafton, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Orford on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects.

First to adjourn to act on the School District Meeting.

ARTICLES

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year: Also to choose one Selectman for three years, one Trustee of Trust Funds and one Library Trustee.

2. To hear the budget of the Town and raise and appropriate any money recommended therein or pass any vote relative thereto.

3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.

4. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of Town Highways and Bridges for the ensuing year.

5. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the removal of snow and care of Town Winter Roads for the ensuing year.

6. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to insure Town property.

7. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of Electric Lights.

8. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Orford Free Library and Orford Social Library.

9. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

10. To see if the Town will vote to dispense with the distribution of inventory blanks until the Selectmen appraise the property.

11. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to sell and administer property acquired by Tax Deed.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum not to exceed one one-hundreth of one per cent (1/100 of 1%) of the assessed valuation based on the assessment of 1952 for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the Town together with other towns in the Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Region.

13. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for the construction of class V roads and raise and appropriate the sum of $492.63 for that purpose.

14. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the Fire Department.

15. To see if the provisions of Chapter 171-A of the revised laws relating to playing games of Beano, shall be adopted in this Town.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Dollars ($50.00) to cover the expenses of Memorial Day Celebration.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) for cleaning and care of the Mall.

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00) for a Community Center Memorial Fund.

19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropri- the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) for the control of the Pine Blister Rust.

20. To see how much money the Town will vote to transfer from the unencumbered surplus for the purpose of establishing a reserve fund to buy road equipment.

21. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to study the possibility of using Indian Pond or some other source of water as a Town Water Supply.

22. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to buy or rent land on Wilder Lake

and for the cost of constructing a dock and launching site for the Town on such land.

23. To see how much money the Town will raise and appropriate to buy land bordering Jacob's Brook for the purpose of developing a Town Swimming Hole.

24. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto and to transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our Hand and Seal at said Orford, this Sixteenth Day of February, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-four.

GLENN F. PEASE,
MARSHALL G. HALL,
Selectmen of Orford

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

GLENN F. PEASE,
MARSHALL G. HALL,
Selectmen of Orford

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF ORFORD, N. H.

Sources of Revenue	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1953	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1954
From State:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 4,275.76	$ 3,500.00
Railroad Tax	5.50	5.00
Savings Bank Tax	128.35	100.00
Growing Wood and Timber	1,646.21	500.00
Refund Head Tax	10.01	
Reimbursements a/c Old Age Assistance	27.40	
Bounties	46.25	150.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Dog Licenses	301.10	300.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	150.00	
School Rents	61.00	100.00
Taxes bought by Town	1,090.10	
State Head Taxes—Previous Yrs.	370.00	
Int. rec'd on Taxes	336.74	150.00
Penalties—on State Head Taxes	41.50	
Tax Sales Redeemed	680.30	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees—1951-53	2,745.73	2,000.00
Sale of Town Property	624.00	
Florence Pease Estate	200.00	
Insurance Adjustment	100.00	
Refunds	144.80	
Temporary Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	10,000.00	
Abatements Levy—1951	15.00	
Abatements Levy—1952	258.75	
Abatements Levy—1953	68.00	
Property Taxes—Current Year	29,507.05	
Yield Taxes—Current Year	111.80	
State Head Taxes—1952	1,450.00	
Property Taxes—Previous Years	9,318.54	
†Cash Surplus—Jan. 1, 1953	6,824.66	

From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:		
Poll Taxes—Regular @ $2—1953	440.00	500.00
Poll Taxes—Previous years	44.00	
	$71,022.55	

Purposes of Expenditures

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1953	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1954
Current Maintenance: Cash on Hand Dec. 31, 1953	$ 7,832.57	$
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries	1,576.84	1,700.00
Town Officers' Expenses	925.62	1,000.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	341.85	1,000.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department	62.60	50.00
Fire Department inc. Forest Fires	884.00	
Blister Rust & Care of Trees		100.00
Insurance	602.77	500.00
Bounties	163.75	
Health:		
Health Department	10.00	
Town Dump and Garbage Removal		200.00
Highway and Bridges:		
New Bridge	912.16	
Town Maintenance—Summer	3,310.11	4,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	2,266.47	3,000.00
Street Lighting	736.00	750.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	368.24	750.00
Town Road Aid	471.41	495.00
Cutting Bushes	361.30	550.00

Libraries:		
Libraries	550.00	550.00
Public Welfare:		
Town Poor	674.84	500.00
Old Age Assistance	2,127.28	2,000.00
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	47.41	50.00
Recreation:		
Parks and Playground, Incl. Band Concerts	25.12	100.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries	547.16	600.00
Unclassified:		
Abatements and Refunds	509.80	
Damages and Legal Expenses, Incl. Dog Damage	19.50	
Advertising and Regional Associations	70.00	70.00
Taxes bought by Town	1,151.03	
Interest:		
On Taxes Bought	54.57	
On Temporary Loans	125.00	
Payment on Principal of Debt:		
(a) Head Taxes—1951-1953	1,455.91	
(b) Pay't on Temp. Loans in ant. of taxes	12,000.00	
(c) Payment Trustee Trust Funds	200.00	200.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
County Taxes	2,304.70	
School Taxes inc. School Rents	28,334.64	30,190.57
Total Expenditures	$71,022.55	

†Cash Surplus equals Excess of actual Cash on Hand at close of fiscal year over Current Liabilities, i.e., Balance of Appropriations due School District, Unexpended Balances of Special Appropriations, Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes and Accounts Payable.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Town Charges	$ 7,800.00
Town Maintenance	4,000.00
Town Snow Removal	3,000.00
Town Road Aid	495.00
Electric Lights	750.00
Insurance	500.00
Orford Free Library	300.00
Orford Social Library	250.00
Fire Dept.	
Dart. Lake Sunapee Region	70.00

HAZEL W. HUCKINS,

GLENN F. PEASE, School Board

WILLIAM G. CLARK,

F. FAIRFIELD McCANN.

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Town of Orford, N. H.

Description of Property	No.	Gross Valuation
Land and Buildings (Exclusive of Growing Wood and Timber)		$1,005,538.00
Electric Plants		83,920.00
New Hampshire Electric Corp.		6,555.00
New England Power Co.		67,375.00
Conn. Val. Power Co.		9,990.00
Horses	25	2,450.00
Oxen	2	700.00
Cows	404	55,400.00
Other Neat Stock	86	9,335.00
Sheep and Goats	48	490.00
Hogs	4	100.00
Fowls	1,070	1,336.00
Portable Mills	1	2,000.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.		1,210.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	14	1,975.00
Stock in Trade		18,550.00
Total Gross Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed		1,183,004.00
Less: Soldiers' Exemptions and Exemptions to Blind		35,225.00
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate Is Computed		$1,147,779.00

Amount of Property valuation exempted to veterans	$35,225.00
Number of inventories distributed	75 Res., 115 Non-Res.
Number of inventories returned	50 Res., 35 Non-Res.
Number of veterans who received property exemption	24
Number of veterans exempted from poll tax	76

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

GLENN F. PEASE,
MARSHALL G. HALL,
Selectmen of Orford

June 24, 1953

FINANCIAL REPORT

Of the Town of Orford, N. H., in Grafton County
for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1953

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date: Jan. 28, 1954.

GLENN F. PEASE,
MARSHALL G. HALL,
Selectmen

HAZEL W. HUCKINS,
Treasurer

ASSETS

Cash:		
In hands of treasurer		$ 7,832.57
Accounts Due to the Town:		
Bounties		163.75
School Rent		78.66
Unredeemed Taxes (from tax sale on account of)		
Levy of 1952	$ 775.63	
Levy of 1951	136.33	
Previous Years	59.50	
		971.46
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1953	$ 9,064.40	
Levy of 1952	432.87	
Levy of 1951	242.84	
Previous Years	16.17	
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1953	520.00	
State Head Taxes—Previous Years	55.00	
		$10,331.28
Total Assets		$19,377.72
Surplus, December 31, 1952	$ 6,739.48	
Surplus, December 31, 1953	8,564.17	
Increase - Decrease of Debt, Surplus	$1,824.69	

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Bills Outstanding	$ 800.00
Due to State:	
State Head Taxes—1953	
(Uncollected $520.00) (Collected—not remitted to State Treas. $493.55)	1,013.55
Due to School Districts:	
Balance of Appropriation	9,000.00
Total Liabilities	$10,813.55
Excess of Assets over liabilities (Surplus)	8,564.17
Grand Total	$19,377.72

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION

Receipts

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes: (Collected and remitted to Treasurer)

Property Taxes—Current Year—1953	$29,507.05	
Poll Taxes—Current Year—Regular @ $2—1953	440.00	
Yield Taxes—1953	111.80	
State Head Taxes @ $5—1953	1,450.00	
Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted		$31,508.85
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes—Previous Years		9,318.54
Poll Taxes—Previous Years—Regular @ $2		44.00
State Head Taxes @ $5—Previous Years		370.00
Interest received on Taxes		336.74
Penalties on State Head Taxes		41.50
Tax sales redeemed		680.30

From State:

Interest and dividend tax	$ 4,275.76	
Railroad Tax	5.50	
Savings Bank Tax	128.35	
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	1,646.21	
Refund Head Tax	10.01	
Bounties	46.25	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	27.40	
		$ 6,139.48

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses	$ 301.10	
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	150.00	
School Rent	61.00	
Taxes bought by Town	1,090.10	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1951 Permits	.71	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1952 Permits	2.50	

Registration of motor vehicles, 1953 Permits	2,742.52	
		$ 4,347.93
Total Current Revenue Receipts		$52,787.34

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	$10,000.00	
Insurance adjustments	100.00	
Refunds	144.80	
New Trust Funds received during year	200.00	
Sale of town property	624.00	
Abatements Levy—1951	15.00	
Abatements Levy—1952	258.75	
Abatements Levy—1953	68.00	
		$11,410.55
Total Receipts fro mall sources		$64,197.89
Cash on hand January 1, 1953		6,824.66
Grand Total		$71,022.55

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:
General Government:

Town officers' salaries	$ 1,576.84	
Town officers' expenses	925.62	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	341.85	
		$ 2,844.31

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	$ 62.60	
Fire department, including forest fires	884.00	
Bounties	163.75	
Damage by dogs	19.50	
Insurance	602.77	
		$ 1,732.62

Health:			
Health department			10.00
Highways and Bridges:			
New bridge		$ 912.16	
Town Road Aid		471.41	
Town Maintenance			
Summer	$3,310.11		
Winter	2,266.47		
		5,576.58	
Street lighting		736.00	
General Expenses of Highway Department		368.24	
Cutting bushes		361.30	
			$ 8,425.59
Libraries:			
Libraries			550.00
Public Welfare:			
Old age assistance		$ 2,127.28	
Town poor		674.84	
			$ 2,802.12
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations			47.41
Recreation:			
Parks and playgrounds			25.12
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries			547.16
Unclassified:			
Advertising and Regional Associations		$ 70.00	
Taxes bought by town		1,151.03	

Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	509.80	
		$ 1,730.83
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		$18,715.16

Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	$ 125.00	
Paid on taxes bought	54.57	
		$ 179.57

Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	$12,000.00	
Payments to trustees of trust funds	200.00	
		$12,200.00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

State Head Taxes paid State Treas. (1953 Taxes $851.44) (Prior Years $604.47)	$ 1,455.91	
Taxes paid to County	2,304.70	
Payments to School District— School rent	61.00	
Payments to School Districts (1952 Tax $10,000.00) (1953 Tax $18,273.64)	28,273.64	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		$32,095.25
Total Payments for all Purposes		$63,189.98
Cash on hand December 31, 1953		7,832.57
Grand Total		$71,022.55

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE TAX YEAR 1953

of the Town of Orford in Grafton County

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date: June 25, 1953.

GLENN F. PEASE,
MARSHALL G. HALL,
Selectmen of Orford

Appropriations

*Items starred are Town Charges		$ 8,275.00
*Town Officers' Salaries		
*Town Officers' Expenses		
*Election and Registration Expenses		
*Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance		
*Police Department		
Fire Department		500.00
*Health Dep't — Hospitals		
Town Road Aid		471.41
Town Maintenance		
(Summer $3,500) (Winter $3,000)		6,500.00
*General Expenses of Highway Department.		
Insurance		408.66
Street Lighting		700.00
Libraries		550.00
*Old Age Assistance		
*Public Relief (Town Poor)—(Soldiers' Aid)		
Memorial Day, Vet. Assoc., Old Home Day		50.00
Parks and Playgrounds		100.00
Community Center Memorial Fund		200.00
*Cemeteries		
Expenses Inves Committee on Community building		200.00
Advertising and Regional Associations		70.00
County Tax		2,304.70
School Tax		27,273.64
Total Town and School Appropriations		$47,603.41
Less: Estimated revenues and credits:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 4,275.76	
Railroad Tax	5.55	
Savings Bank Tax	116.51	
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of		

Growing Wood and Timber	1,660.66	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	2,400.00	
Dog Licenses	300.00	
Business Licenses and Permits	25.00	
Int. on Taxes and Income from Trust Funds	150.00	
Sale of Tax Deeded Property	500.00	
Total Revenues and Credits		9,433.48
		38,169.93
Plus Overlay		384.78
Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		$38,554.71
Less: Number 339 of Poll Taxes at $2	$ 678.00	
		$ 678.00
Amount to be raised by property taxes on which tax rate is to be figured		$37,876.71

Taxes to be Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	$37,876.71
Poll Taxes at $2.00	678.00
Total Taxes to be Committed	$38,554.71

Tax Rate: Town $3.30.

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	$ 5,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	500.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	2,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	75.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings, Equipment	3,500.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	400.00
Equipment	8,000.00
Materials and Supplies	100.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	400.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings and Equipment	30,000.00
Mamie Pike Land	500.00
Walter Perkins Lot	50.00
Luther Brown Lot	150.00
40 Acres B. W. Cheney Land	500.00
Total	$51,675.00

TREASURER'S REPORT

Hazel W. Huckins, Treasurer, in Account with the Town of Orford

To Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1953	$ 6,824.66
To Cash as follows:	
State Treasurer	
Refund on Old Age Assistance	27.40
Bounties	46.25
Interest and Dividend Taxes	4,275.76
Reimbursement for loss on taxes	1,646.21
Savings Bank tax	128.35
Railroad tax	5.50
Refund on Head tax	10.01
W. W. Lufkin, Tax Collector	
Tax levy, 1952	2,703.91
Interest, 1952	26.68
Timber tax, 1952	251.16
Timber tax, 1953	44.22
Head taxes, 1952	260.00
Penalties, 1952	26.00
Poll taxes, 1951	4.00
Tax Redemptions, 1950	34.39
Tax Redemptions, 1951	276.87
Frances H. Gould, Tax Collector	
Tax levy, 1952	6,190.45
Interest, 1952	255.13
Poll taxes and int., 1952	40.36
Head taxes, 1951	5.00
Penalty, 1951	.50
Head taxes, 1952	105.00
Penalties, 1952	10.50
Head taxes, 1953	1,450.00
Penalties, 1953	4.50
Tax levy, 1953	29,507.05
Poll taxes, 1953	440.00
Timber tax, 1952	125.80
Timber tax, 1953	111.80
Tax sale, 1953	1,090.10
Interest on tax sale	54.57
Tax Redemptions	369.04

Hazel W. Huckins, Town Clerk

Auto tax, 1951	.71
Auto tax, 1952	2.50
Auto tax, 1953, reduced rate period	26.75
Auto tax, 1953	2,715.77
Dog taxes, 1953	260.10
Fred J. Sanborn, Dog Constable, dog taxes	41.00
School Rents, 1953	51.00
School Rents, 1954	10.00
Indian Head National Bank, notes	10,000.00
Ladies' Society, Bingo license	120.00
Mt. Cube Grange, Bingo License	10.00
Orford Community Council, Bingo license	10.00
Selectmen, pistol permits	10.00
W. W. Lufkin, sale of pulp wood	30.00
Sale of Town Property	594.00
Florence Pease Estate, perpetual care of lot	200.00
Brown and Saltmarsh, refund	9.06
Tax Abatements, Yield tax, 1952	65.75
Poll taxes, 1952	48.00
Poll taxes, 1953	28.00
Head taxes, 1951	15.00
Head taxes, 1952	145.00
Head taxes, 1953	40.00
Cancelled check No. 3869—State of New Hampshire	135.74
	$71,022.55

By paid orders of the Selectmen	$63,189.98	
Cash on hand and in Indian Head Nat'l Bank Dec. 31, 1953	7,832.57	
	$71,022.55	$71,022.55

Automobile Account

11 Permits issued for reduced rate period, 1952 (Jan.-Mar. 1953)	$ 26.75
417 Permits issued for 1953	2,715.77
Paid Treasurer	$ 2,742.52

Dog Account—1953

121 Dogs Licensed		$ 275.00
2 Kennel licenses (12 dogs)		32.00
Clerk's fee	$ 29.00	
Tags and blanks	17.90	
Paid Treasurer	260.10	
	$ 307.00	$ 307.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail 1. Salaries of Town Officers

Henry A. Horton, Selectman	$ 171.00
Glenn F. Pease, Selectman	240.00
Marshall G. Hall, Selectman	156.00
Wallace W. Lufkin, Tax Collector	50.86
Frances H. Gould, Tax Collector	444.48
Hazel W. Huckins, Town Clerk	314.50
Hazel W. Huckins, Town Treasurer	100.00
Elton C. Woodward, Auditor	22.50
Chester Greenly, Auditor	22.50
Harold W. Swan, Overseer of Poor, 1952 & 1953	20.00
Maurice Bean, Supervisor	13.50
Arthur L. Franklin, Supervisor	21.50
	$ 1,576.84

Detail 2. Expenses of Town Officers

Henry A. Horton, Selectman	$ 32.20
Glenn F. Pease, Selectman	17.75
Glenn F. Pease, Keeping books and Copying invoice	80.00
Henry A Horton and man running Town line	61.00
George Richardson running Town line	37.50
Hazel W. Huckins, Town Clerk	32.78
Hazel W. Huckins, Town Treasurer	10.12
Elton C. Woodward, Auditor	1.05
Green Mt. Press, Town Reports	435.50
F. J. Shores, Transfers, Deeds, and Seaching Records	19.90
Anna Proctor, Transfer names	.10
Henry H. Carr, Town Officers' Bonds	116.60
Dartmouth Savings Bank, Rent Deposit Box	7.20
Brown & Saltmarsh, Supplies	41.72
Edison C. Eastman Co., Inc., Supplies	24.20
N. H. Assessors' Association, Dues	3.00
Town Clerks' Association, Dues	2.00
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association, Dues	3.00
	$ 925.62

Detail 3. Town Hall Expense

Conn. Valley Electric Co., Lights	$	40.35
Philip L. Bean, Wood		80.00
William Pierson, Wood, drawing and sawing		171.00
Hattie S. Baker, Putting wood in shed		4.00
Samuel A. Mousley, Janitor		34.00
Henry A. Horton, Repairs Town Hall roof		12.50
	$	341.85

Detail 4. Police Dept.

Fred J. Sanborn	$	2.00
Ralph Mack		18.40
Laurence Huntington		42.20
	$	62.60

Detail 5. Bounties

Henry A. Horton	$	70.00
Glenn F. Pease		87.75
Marshall G. Hall		6.00
	$	163.75

Detail 6. Fire Dept., Including Forest Fires

Conn. Valley Electric Co., Inc., Power	$	28.00
American LaFrance Foamite Co., Supplies		21.76
Forestry & Rec. Comm., Forestfire tools		20.70
Orfordville Store, Soda		.75
Sudbury Laboratory, Supplies		12.50
Town of Fairlee, Swan fire		106.50
Fire Protection Co., Adapters		10.42
Huntington Garage, Storage, repairs & supplies		259.24
Floyd Garret, Fireman		4.00
William McKee, Fireman		4.00
Henry Horton and men, Firemen		62.18
C. P. Ladd, Fireman		2.00
Richard Brown, Fireman		2.00
S. R. Chase, Fireman		3.00
D. Tatham, Fireman		3.00
George Smith, Fireman		18.50
G. F. Pease, Fireman		18.45

G. E. Peace, Fireman	8.50
B. F. Dyke, Fireman	3.00
A. Merrill, Fireman	3.00
W. McDonald, Fireman	4.00
E. Claffin, Fireman	3.00
Newin Newton Jr., Fireman	3.00
L. H. Huntington, Fireman	27.00
H. K. Huntington, Fireman	16.00
L. J. Donnelly, Fireman	21.50
E. C. Woodward, Fireman	6.00
Donald Reed, Fireman	5.00
G. C. Huckins, Fireman	6.00
Charles Clifford, Fireman	13.00
H. W. Swan, Fireman	4.00
William Schulz, Fireman	6.00
Bruce German, Fireman	7.00
H. T. Laurence, Fireman	12.00
D. Tyler, Fireman	4.00
C. A. Pierce, Fireman and Warden	78.50
H. E. Morey, Fireman	5.50
A. Morey, Fireman	1.50
Raymond Brown, Fireman	3.50
Sumner Huntington, Fireman	5.50
W. W. Lufkin, Fireman	1.50
Robert Hall, Fireman	1.50
Allen Bryer, Fireman	1.50
Kenneth Nutter, Fireman	4.00
Ralph Mack, Fireman	3 00
Frank Aubit, Fireman	3.00
William Brown, Fireman	5.00
Bertram Allen Jr., Fireman	10.00
Walter Perry, Fireman	2.00
B. J. Morey, Fireman	4.00
Richard Bean, Fireman	3.00
R. E. Dennis, Fireman	2.00
R. Huntington, Fireman	3.00
Guy Smith, Fireman	8.00
Maurice Roberts, Fireman	5.00
	$ 884.00

Detail 7. Insurance

R. T. Bartlett Ins. Agency. Town help	$ 288.40
Gould Richmond, Ralph Marsh place	15.20

H. H. Carr, Insurance	
Grader	91.25
Road Truck	30.00
Liability and Property Damage	51.30
Fire Truck	51.50
Bodily Injury and Property Damage	55.00
Tractor	9.00
Tool House and tools	11.12
	$ 602.77

Detail 8. Community Center Memorial Fund

Trustees of Trust Funds	200.00

Detail 9. Refunds

Ladies' Society, Beano Licenses	$ 120.00
Mt. Cube Grange, Beano Licenses	10.00
Recreation Council, Beano Licenses	10.00
	$ 140.00

Detail 10. Town Maintenance

Bradley Morey, Summer and winter roads	$ 5,576.58

Detail 11. Street Lights

Conn. Valley Electric Co., Inc.	$ 736 00

Detail 12. General Expense, Highway Dept.

B. F. Dyke, Bridge plank	$ 368.24

Detail 13. Cutting Bushes

See Detailed Statement	$ 361.30

Detail 14. New Bridge

Lyon Iron Works, Girders	$ 624.00
Henry A. Horton, Labor and supplies	37.00
Gerald Davis, Trucking girders	30.00
Bradley, Morey, see detailed statement	221.06
	$ 912.06

Detail 15. Health Dept.

F. J. Sanborn, Health Officer	$	10.00
Damage by Dogs		19.50
	$	29.50

Detail 16. Libraries

Hittie R. Carr, Orford Social Library	$	250.00
Janet M. Becton, Orford Free Library		300.00
	$	550.00

Detail 17. Town Poor

Orfordville Store for Frank Aubit	$	6.84
Grafton County Farm, Board and care, Jerry Tallman		668.00
	$	674.84

Detail 18. Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire	$	2,127.28

Detail 19. Patriotic Purposes

Orfordville Store, Flags	$	22.41
American Legion, Bradford Post		25.00
	$	47.41

Detail 20. Parks and Playgrounds

Robert Hall, Labor on mall	$	20.12
Henry Horton, Labor on mall		5.00
Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Region, Adv.		70.00
	$	95.12

Detail 21. Cemeteries

Western Auto, Power mower, West Cemetery	$	83.32
Henry L. Patch, Labor, West Cemetery		134.79
Samuel A. Mousley, Labor, West Cemetery		283.05

John Gund, Labor, West Cemetery	10.50
Glenn F. Pease, Labor, East Cemetery	35.50
	$ 547.16

Detail 22. Taxes Bought by Town

Taxes bought by Town, including Interest	$ 1,205.60

Detail 23. Abatements

Frances H. Gould, Levy 1951	$ 15.00
Frances H. Gould, Levy 1952	258.75
Frances H. Gould, Levy 1953	68.00
Frank Bonnett, Levy 1953	11.55
Walter M. Lyon, Levy 1953	16.50
	$ 369.80

Detail 24. Interest

Indian Head Nat. Bank, Int. on short term notes	$ 125.00

Detail 25. Town Road Aid

State of New Hampshire	$ 471.41

Detail 26. Short Term Notes

Indian Head Nat. Bank	$12,000.00

Detail 27. Other Governmental Divisions

Hazel W. Huckins, District Treasurer	$28,334.64
County Tax	2,304.70
State Treasurer, Head Tax	1,455.91
	$32,095.25
Grand Total Spent	$63,189.98

MAINTENANCE

Bradley Morey	$ 1,333.50	
Raymond Brown	600.20	
Hazen Morey	436.30	
Sam Mousley	205.10	
Leighton Perry	12.00	
		$ 2,587.10

Trucking

Bradley Morey	$ 25.00	
Raymond Brown	5.60	
Hazen Morey	22.40	
		$ 53.00

Supplies

Huntington Garage	$ 147.47	
Henry Ward	226.85	
Collector of Internal Revenue	84.70	
Hayes Marshall	37.50	
Murray Machinery Co.	63.15	
H. W. Johnson & Sons	28.40	
A. B. Weeks	26.10	
Black-Top, Inc.	4.68	
Arthur Franklin	23.77	
Bradley Morey, paid out	8.65	
Ralph Mack	10.00	
Jesses Currier	3.50	
Bradford National Bank	6.00	
Gove & Morrill	5.95	
Perry Mativia	2.00	
Eric Glascer	1.00	
		$ 670.01
Total		$ 3,310.11

Cutting Bushes—Labor

Bradley Morey	$ 103.00	
Hazen Morey	17.50	
Raymond Brown	118.70	
Samuel Mousley	104.50	
Kenneth Kennedy	8.00	
		$ 351.70

Trucking

Raymond Brown		$ 9.60
Total		$ 361.30

NEW BRIDGE

Labor

Bradley Morey	$ 44.50	
Hazen Morey	32.50	
Raymond Brown	35.60	
Arthur Franklin	19.00	
		$ 131.60

Trucking

Bradley Morey		$ 10.65

Supplies

H. W. Johnson & Sons	$ 46.17	
D. C. McLam	32.64	
		$ 78.81
		$ 221.06

SNOW

Bradley Morey	$ 731.50	
Hazen Morey	141.50	
Raymond Brown	240.20	
Sam Mousley	100.90	
Bradley Baker	20.40	
		$ 1,234.50

Trucking

Hazen Morey	$ 64.00	
W. W. Lufkin	11.00	
Clyde Cumming	12.80	
Raymond Brown	10.40	
		$ 98.20

Supplies

Huntington Garage	$ 215.10	
Henry Ward	97.49	
Columbian Steel	125.41	
Irvin Motors	237.68	
H. W. Johnson & Sons	37.55	
E. T. & H. K. Ide	37.20	
Casellini-Venable Co.	13.02	
Miller Automobile Co.	14.32	
Toy Tire Co.	105.00	
Kinehan & Akers, Inc.	13.75	
A. B. Weeks	10.00	
Perry Mativia	4.50	
Bradley Morey, paid out	6.45	
Gould Richmond	4.00	
Larry Huntington	3.00	
Collector of Internal Revenue	9.30	
		$ 933.77
		$ 2,266.47

SUMMARY OF WARRANT—LEVY 1953

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	$37,879.71	
Poll Taxes	680.00	
Yield Taxes	535.24	
		$39,094.95
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	$ 36.30	
Poll Taxes	20.00	
		$39,151.25

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	$29,507.05
Poll Taxes	440.00
Yield Taxes	111.80
Abatements	28.00

Uncollected Taxes:		
Property Taxes	$ 8,408.96	
Poll Taxes	232.00	
Yield Taxes	423.44	
		$39,151.25

I hereby certify that the above list as of December 31, 1953, on account of the tax levy of 1953, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANCES H. GOULD,
Tax Collector

SUMMARY OF WARRANT—LEVY OF 1952

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of June 1, 1953:		
Property Taxes	$ 7,268.67	
Poll Taxes	98.00	
Yield Taxes	618.89	
	$ 7,985.56	
Interest	310.06	
		$ 8,295.62

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	$ 6,190.45	
Poll Taxes	40.00	
Interest	310.06	
Yield Taxes	125.80	
Abatements	113.75	
Tax Sale	1,082.69	
	$ 7,862.75	
Uncollected Taxes:		
Property Taxes	$ 63.13	
Poll Taxes	10.00	
Yield Taxes	359.74	
		$ 8,295.62

I hereby certify that the above list as of December 31, 1953, on account of the tax levy of 1952, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANCES H. GOULD,
Tax Collector

SUMMARY OF HEAD TAXES—YEAR OF 1953

Dr.

Warrant Committed to Collector:		
394 Head Taxes @ $5.00	$ 1,970.00	
8 Added Head Taxes @ $5.00	40.00	
	$ 2,010.00	
Penalties	4.50	
		$ 2,014.50

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	$ 1,450.00	
Penalties	4.50	
Abatements	40.00	
Uncollected Head Taxes	520.00	
		$ 2,014.50

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FRANCES H. GOULD,
Tax Collector

SUMMARY OF HEAD TAXES—YEAR OF 1952

Dr.

Uncollected Head Taxes	$ 275.00	
Added Head Taxes @ $5.00	10.00	
Penalties	10.50	
		$ 295.50

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	$ 105.00	
Penalties	10.50	
Abatements	145.00	
Uncollected Head Taxes	35.00	
		$ 295.50

I hereby certify that the above list as of December 31, 1953, on account of the tax levy of 1952, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANCES H. GOULD,
Tax Collector

SUMMARY OF HEAD TAXES—YEAR OF 1951

Dr.

Uncollected Head Taxes	$ 40.00	
Penalties	.50	
		$ 40.50

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head Tax	$ 5.00	
Penalties	.50	
Abatements	15.00	
Uncollected Head Taxes	20.00	
		$ 40.50

I hereby certify that the above list as of December 31, 1953, on account of the tax levy of 1951, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANCES H. GOULD,
Tax Collector

Unredeemed Taxes: (from tax sale on account of)		
Levy of 1952	$ 775.63	
Levy of 1951	136.33	
Levy of 1950	59.50	
		$ 971.46

Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1953	$ 9,064.40	
Levy of 1952	432.87	
Levy of 1951	242.84	
Levy of 1950	16.17	
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1953	520.00	
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1952	35.00	
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1951	20.00	
		$10,331.28

I hereby certify that the above list as of December 31, 1953, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANCES H. GOULD,
Tax Collector

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

Dr.

Taxes sold to Town	1952	1951	1950
During Current Fiscal Year	$1,090.10	$	$
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes		136.33	59.50
Interest Collected	54.57		
Total Debits	$1,144.67	$136.33	$59.50

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer	$ 369.04	$	$
Unredeemed Taxes	775.63	136.33	59.50
Total Credits	$1,144.67	$136.33	$59.50

I hereby certify the above list as of December 31, 1953, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANCES H. GOULD,
Tax Collector

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF ORFORD SOCIAL LIBRARY

Cash on hand January 1, 1953	$ 21.86
Received from Town	250.00
	$ 271.86
Contra	
Paid for Electric Lights	$ 24.00
Paid for Gas	31.77
Paid for Repairs	28.45
Paid for Labor	16.00
Paid for Books and Magazines	101.59
Paid for Janitor	7.00
Paid for Librarian	52.00
Bank Charge	6.25
Cash on hand December 31, 1953	4.80
	$ 271.86

HITTIE R, CARR,
ANNA B. ALLEN,
GERTRUDE V. WARREN,
Trustees

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTES OF THE ORFORD FREE LIBRARY

Cash on Hand in bank Dec. 31, 1952	$ 76.34	
Cash on Hand in Library, Dec. 31, 1952	1.00	
Interest from Wellington Fund	4.08	
Received from Town	300.00	
Gift from Mrs. C. L. Stearns	2.00	
Gift from Mrs. Elizabeth F. Bischoff	5.00	
Sale of Books	12.17	
		$ 400.59
Disbursements:		
Books	$ 233.04	
Librarian	52.00	
Assistant Librarian	18.00	
Janitor	17.75	
Supplies	5.64	
Wood	.85	

Magazines	24.75	
Postage	1.27	
	$ 353.30	
Cash on Hand in bank, Dec. 31, 1953	45.87	
Cash on Hand in Library, Dec. 31, 1953	1.42	
		$ 400.59

4985 books were in circulation this past year and 425 magazines.

Gifts to the Library amounting to 58 books were presented by Mr. F. S. Sullivan of Hanover, Mrs. Roland S. Condit of East Orange, New Jersey, Mrs. J. Lloyd Bohn of Philadelphia, Dr. Hammond of Orford, and Miss Mary Riley of Laconia.

DOROTHY M. LOVE,
RUTH SWAN,
JANET M. BECTON.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

Orford, N H.
Feb. 6, 1954

This is to certify that we have audited the Town Officers' books as required by State Law and found them to be correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ELTON C. WOODWARD,
CHESTER G. GREENLY,
Town Auditors

EXCERPTS FROM OLD PAPERS

Town of Orford

Copy of a letter dated Concord, June 10, 1862.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(Seal)

Executive Department

To the People of New Hampshire

The alarming exigencies of the hour have induced the President of the United States to call upon the Executive of this State for three additional regiments, to be furnished at the earliest possible moment.

The President also desires that the regiments now in the service from this State, which have by their noble conduct in every emergency, won imperishable laurels, and placed New Hampshire high in rank among her sister States, be immediately recruited to the maximum standard.

The War Department has issued the following orders:

War Department, Washington, D. C.
June 21, 1862.

Pursuant to a joint resolution of Congress to encourage enlistments in the regular army and volunteer forces, it is

Ordered, That a premium of two dollars shall be paid for each accepted recruit that volunteers for three years or during the war; and every soldier who hereafter enlists, either in the regular army or the volunteers for three years or during the war, may receive his first month's pay in advance upon the mustering of his company into the service of the United States, or after he shall have been mustered into and joined a regiment already in the service. This order will be transmitted to Governors of States and recruiting officers.

(Signed) EDWIN M. STANTON, Secretary of War.

War Department, Washington, D. C.
July 2, 1862.

Ordered, That out of the appropriation for collecting, organizing and drilling volunteers, there shall be paid in advance to each recruit, for three years or during the war, the sum of twenty-five dollars—being one fourth of the amount of bounty allowed by law; such payment to be made upon

the mustering of the regiment to which such recruits belong into the service of the United States.

(Signed) EDWIN M. STANTON, Secretary of War.

In addition to the above inducements, the State of New Hampshire will pay the further bounty of fifty dollars to each volunteer, upon his being mustered into the service. The above bounty of $50 will also be paid to recruits already enlisted into the 9th and 10th regiments.

Thus it will be seen that each volunteer will receive, cash in hand, upon being mustered into the service of the United States, the sum of ninety dollars ($90); also at the expiration of his term of enlistment or honorable discharge from the service, he will receive the further bounty of seventy-five dollars ($75). In the event of his death the same will be paid to his family.

By the laws of this State, towns and cities will pay to families, and persons dependent on volunteers for their support, a sum not exceeding twelve dollars per month. (See act passed June session 1862).

All persons are further reminded that the sum of two dollars will be paid to any citizen or soldier for each accepted volunteer, and the Adjutant-General is hereby ordered to issue recruiting papers to such suitable persons as may offer their services as recruiting officers.

All men belonging to existing corps now in service, not under parole or disabled, are hereby notified that the orders of the War Department require their immediate return to their posts of duty. Colonel Eastman, of the U. S. Army-headquarters at Concord, N. H.,—upon application, will furnish all necessary facilities for transportation.

All good citizens are respectfully requested to report forthwith to the Adjutant-General of this State the name and residence of any volunteer or regular soldier of this State who may be evading his duty by not obeying the above order.

The Executive earnestly desires that the several towns and cities of the State forthwith adopt such measures as are recommended in the resolutions of the Legislature, passed at the recent session of the Legislature.

MEN OF THE OLD GRANITE STATE: Now to the Rescue: Let not this call of your beloved Country ring through your hills and valleys in vain! Let there be a patriotic union of hearts and hands for the common weal, which shall not only preserve our ancient renown, and send

a thrill of joy and exultation to our noble sons and brothers in the field, but shall also gladden the heart of the nation's Commander-in-Chief, and beckon our beloved loyal sister States to higher and still higher efforts for the salvation of our once happy, but now districted country.

NATHANIEL S. BERRY, Governor of New Hampshire.

How different from the draft of today !

JUST ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO

Copy of a paper, dated 1854, given to the Nystrom family, probably taken from some historical book—name not known—and presented to the Town of Orford by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nystrom in February 1954.

"On the west side of Cuba Mountain there are several beds of valuable lime stone, some of which has been wrought for 25 years. The lime stone is granular but does not crumble in burning. Specimens of quartz containing aricular crystals of oxide of titanium exist in the region of this mountain. Near Sunday Mountain is a bed of talcose slate which answers well for soapstone and is wrought to a considerable extent. Copper pyrites, Black Sulphuret of Copper. Green Carbonate of copper, Magnetic iron ore, Sulphuret of Molybdena and Gelena are found in various localities. Kyanite in large bladed crystals of a pale blue color is also abundant.

The village contains three meeting houses of which the Congregational is a new, costly and splendid edifice; one academy which is a large and handsome building of brick; six stores and one hotel.

Orford Mill river furnishes most of the water power for an extensive tannery, a chair factory, sash blind and door factory, starch factory, planing shop, clapboard shingle, lath and carding mills and one valuable gristmill. There are also ten sawmills in various parts of the town.

Population 1406. Legal voters 347, Common schools 16, Inventory $631,574, value of lands $389,088, Mills and factories $13,600, Stock in trade $18,190, Money at interest $77,296, No. of Sheep 6094, No. of neat stock, 1591, No. of horses 289.

Orford, N. H., 1854."

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF ORFORD ON DECEMBER 31, 1953

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund—Purpose of Trust Fund List first those trust funds invested in a common trust fund Name of Fund	Purpose	How Invested Whether bank deposit, stock, bond, municipal obligation, etc.	Amount of Principal	Bal. of Income on hand at beginning of year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on hand at End of Year
1903	Ryder-Mayo	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	9.64	2.47	3.00	9.11
1903	Hannah Randlet	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.71	1.14	1.00	.85
1905	Jeffers Sargent	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	6.35	2.40	2.00	6.75
1906	Stephen B. Poor	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.16	1.13	1.00	.29
1907	Emily J. Talman	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.05	1.13	1.00	.18
1908	W. S. Palmer	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.37	1.13	1.00	.50
1911	William Stetson	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.37	1.13	1.00	.50
1916	Walter R. Barnes	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	14.27	2.58	3.00	13.85
1916	John C. & Edwin B. Hale	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	250.00	28.32	6.29	6.50	28.11
1916	B. M. Tilloyson	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.72	1.14	1.00	.86
1917	Clara Hazelton	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	7.36	2.42	2.50	7.28
1918	S. Loomis	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	3.98	2.34	2.00	4.32
1920	Jesse Carr	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	4.92	2.35	2.00	5.27
1920	Joshua K. Avery	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	2.74	1.18	1.00	2.92
1922	John O. Carr	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	200.00	17.91	4.92	4.00	18.83
1922	Horace H. Conant	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	6.80	2.40	2.00	7.20
1922	Robert Bradford Sargent	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	4.33	2.35	2.00	4.68
1922	Thomas Ames	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	2.01	1.17	1.00	2.18
1923	David R. Lang	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	10.18	2.49	2.00	10.67
1925	Jedediah Stickney	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.79	1.14	1.00	.93
1926	Josephine Hall	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.44	1.13	1.00	.57
1928	Samuel Quint	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	7.16	2.42	2.00	7.58
1928	Elijah Palmer	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	6.79	2.40	2.00	7.19

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (Continued)

	Name of Fund	Purpose						
1928	Daniel Lamphrey	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	3.89	2.33	2.00	4.22
1929	Royal W. Simons	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	6.62	2.40	2.00	7.02
1930	Ashel D. Chamberlain	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	3.73	2.33	2.00	4.06
1930	John Baldwin	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	5.31	2.38	2.00	5.69
1930	Isaac Baldwin	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.21	1.13	1.00	.34
1930	George F. Trussell	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.36	1.13	1.00	.49
1930	Benjamin F. Trussell	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	3.87	2.33	2.50	3.70
1930	Isaac Willard	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	1.47	2.29	2.00	1.76
1932	John B. Sargent	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	5.04	2.38	2.50	4.92
1932	John W. Crowe	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	2.66	2.31	2.00	2.97
1933	Charles H. Archer	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.71	1.14	1.00	.85
1933	Paul Lang	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	3.54	2.33	2.00	3.87
1934	Ida A. Smith	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	4,695.00	735.89	120.56	186.32	670.13
1937	Mary N. Crowell	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	1.04	1.15	1.00	1.19
1937	Benjamin Morrill	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	4.90	2.35	2.00	5.25
1937	Thomas Mason	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	400.00	.33	9.05	8.00	1.38
1938	John H. Phelps	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	200.00	.97	4.20	2.00	3.17
1938	Capt. Joseph W. Hancock	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	1.61	1.16	1.00	1.77
1938	Robert O. Carr	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	.95	2.26	2.00	1.21
1938	Pebbeles & Blorgett	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	150.00	7.40	3.55	3.00	7.95
1938	William F. Pebbles	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	.83	1.14	1.00	.97
1938	Amy Estelle Converse	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	120.00	5.55	2.83	2.50	5.88
1938	Richard Keyes	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	50.00	1.33	1.15	1.00	1.48
1939	Samuel Q. & Julia G. Cutting	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	200.00	14.56	4.84	4.50	14.90
1940	Royal, Frank J. & Fenner I. Beal	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	200.00	3.65	4.59	4.00	4.24
1940	Fred A. Dennis	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	150.00	4.00	3.48	2.50	4.98
1941	Lyman A. Hawkins	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	200.00	10.42	4.75	4.00	11.17
1941	Samuel S. Pease	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	1.65	2.29	2.00	1.94
1941	Chase M. Pease	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	2.35	2.31	2.50	2.16
1941	Samuel E. Greenley	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	200.00	9.36	4.73	4.00	10.09
1941	Miles-Webster	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	.10	2.26	2.00	.36
1942	Clarence K. Wright	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	250.00	8.04	5.83	4.50	9.37

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (Continued)

	Name of Fund	Purpose						
1943	Pierce-Warren	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	200.00	6.24	4.66	4.00	6.90
1943	Howard-Dimock-Pierce	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	250.00	8.97	5.84	4.50	10.31
1943	Josiah H. Archer	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	.57	2.26	2.00	.83
1943	Byron N. Woodward	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	.09	2.26	2.00	.35
1943	Joseph G. Archer	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	.56	2.26	2.00	.82
1944	Alvah M. Stevens	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	.08	2.26	2.00	.34
1945	Frank S. Williams	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	1.54	2.29	2.00	1.83
1945	Clarence H. Carr	Perpetual care	Woodsville G. S. Bank	100.00	.73	2.26	2.00	.99
1945	Lewis W. Coburn	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	150.00	5.93	4.30	3.00	7.23
1945	Dane E. Stevens	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	4.08	2.87	2.00	4.95
1946	Willis B. Ingerson	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	2.21	2.81	2.00	3.02
1947	Harry P. Wilcox	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	2.03	2.81	2.00	2.84
1947	David Wilcox	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	2.03	2.81	2.00	2.84
1947	William Wilcox	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	2.03	2.81	2.00	2.84
1947	Chester A. Bass	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	5.30	2.89	2.00	6.19
1947	Harriman-Pomeroy	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	4.54	2.87	2.00	5.41
1947	Fred & Mabel Mack	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	200.00	12.45	5.86	4.00	14.31
1948	Orford West Cemetery	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	946.25	69.29	28.09	8.00	89.38
1948	Nathaniel & George Russell	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	200.00	10.24	5.80	2.50	13.54
1948	Abram & Georgia Washburn	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	2.36	2.81	2.00	3.17
1948	George E. & Gertrude K. Clark	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	150.00	6.15	4.31	3.00	7.46
1948	Bernice H. Washburn	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	2.74	2.83	2.00	3.57
1948	William E. Chapman	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	150.00	5.65	4.28	2.50	7.43
1949	Orford School District	Schools	Dartmouth Savings Bank	957.29	85.60	28.85		114.45
1949	Orpha E. Johnson	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	200.00	8.00	5.74	2.50	11.24
1949	Frank W. Hatch	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	1.46	2.78	2.00	2.24
1949	Elijah N. & Isabelle W. Merrill	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	3.69	2.85	2.00	4.54
1950	Elizabeth Sanborn Pressey	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	3.53	2.84	2.00	4.37
1950	Charles Riley	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	200.00	7.68	5.72	3.00	10.40
1950	Horace Palmer	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	5.19	2.89		8.08

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (Continued)

	Name of Fund	Purpose						
1950	Herb. E. & Jennie C. Woodward	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	150.00	5.85	4.28		10.13
1951	Eugene P. Cross	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	2.63	2.83	2.00	3.46
1951	Henry H. Pease	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	100.00	.37	2.75	1.00	2.12
1952	Harry H. Hutchins	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	200.00		4.59		4.59
1952	George Washburn	Perpetual care	Dartmouth Savings Bank	150.00		2.06		2.06
1953	Community Ctr. Memorial Fund	War Memorial	Dartmouth Savings Bank	400.00		4.58		4.58
1953	Hazen-Carr	Perpetual care		200.00				
				17,363.54	1,268.52	433.21	382.82	1,318.91

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

Of the Town of Orford

For Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1953

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date: Jan. 2, 1954.

GERTRUDE V. WARREN,
WILLIAM DOOLEY,
HARRISON NILES,
Trustees

WARRANT

State of New Hampshire

Grafton, S. S. School District of Orford

To the inhabitants of the School District of Orford qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District, on Tuesday, the 9th of March, 1954, at nine o'clock, in the morning, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

Article 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To choose a member of the School Board for three years, and to fill any vacancies which may occur on the School Board.

Article 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board, and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.

Article 6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income: The school Board

to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

Article 9. To see how much money the district will vote to raise and appropriate to purchase a portion of the land now owned by Henry A. Horton, said land being adjacent to the school property on which Orford High School is erected, for the purpose of taking care of future school development in this area, with the understanding that the Orford School board be authorized to carry out all legal action in connection with this purchase.

Article 10. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at said Orford this 16th day of February, 1954.

EMILY A. HALL,
GLENN F. PEASE,
HARVEY L. WASHBURN,
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EMILY A. HALL,
GLENN F. PEASE,
HARVEY L. WASHBURN,
School Board

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Members of the School Board and Citizens of Orford:

I hereby submit by sixth annual report as your Superintendent of Schools.

The job of operating a school system is becoming more complex as each year goes by. It certainly is a far cry from the days of the "little red schoolhouse", in which the teacher was often someone who had just graduated from the eighth grade herself and kept up with her lessons by reading two pages ahead of the scholars. The modern educational system requires long hours of work by an understanding School Board with the help and advice of trained personnel. One of the most serious problems facing School Boards today is that of finding properly trained teachers to fill any vacancies which occur. School enrollments have been increasing steadily ever since the second world war. They will continue to increase for some years to come. More children were born in the United States during each of the years 1952 and 1953 than any year in history. Although the number of children entering schools has increased tremendously the number of teachers being prepared has remained about the same. A real shortage of good teachers has existed for some time and will get worse as each year rolls by. As the demand for teachers increases, school districts increase their wages to be in a better bargaining position for those teachers who are available. Any school district desiring to remain in a good bargaining position for teachers must continue to increase teachers' salaries.

Personnel

Miss Clara Berry resigned last summer to enter the holy bonds of matrimony. She had taught twenty-two years in Vermont and New Hampshire, the last ten of these years in Orford. Miss Berry really loved young people and worked carefully with each individual pupil. She was well-liked by everyone she worked with. A capable teacher, she kept herself abreast of modern education by attendance at summer school and extension courses. Although she will be sorely missed by her pupils they nevertheless wish her many years of happy married life.

We were very fortunate in obtaining capable experienced local people for replacements this year. Miss Carole Lavoie, from Orford, replaced Miss Berry in the seventh and eighth grades. A graduate of Plymouth, she has had twenty-two years teaching experience in New Hampshire schools. Mrs. Marjorie Scott, from North Hanover, is the new commercial teacher replacing Miss Blanchette. Mrs. Scott, a graduate of Plymouth Teachers' College in 1947, has had six years teaching experience in New Hampshire.

The enrollment at the high school is steadily increasing. Much of this increase is due to a larger number of tuition pupils which means added income to the school district. If we are going to continue to attract tuition pupils and obtain good teachers the high school program must be revised. New subjects should be added. Some subjects which have been offered only on alternate years should be offered every year. The teaching load of some teachers should be lightened. I have, therefore, proposed that one new additional teacher be added to the high school staff. If present trends continue additional tuitions will take care of this expense and there will be no increase in the tax rate.

Program

One of the things which people complain about is the fact that many children have poor handwriting. To offset this problem we have now introduced the Zaner-Bloser Handwriting System into all eight grades. Having a standard pattern to go by in all the grades has already produced a marked improvement in handwriting and even further improvement should be noted in future years as the accumulated effect takes place.

We are now full-fledged members of the New England School Development Council which is an organization of school systems banded together for the purpose of improving education. Orford has the advantage of receiving the research studies of this organization as well as participating in the workshops and committees which function out of Nesdec's sub-center at Dartmouth College such as the current work on reading, the "troubled child", and ways to use the Dartmouth Museum.

At the request of the School Board, Mr. Fulton issued an extensive questionnaire covering all phases of the basket-

ball situation. On some questions there was rather a divided opinion but in general it seemed that parents in Orford approved present procedures with the understanding that the season would not be too long, practices after school not too extensive and not more than two games a week to be played by the varsity.

The Veterans-on-the-farm program, taught by Mr. Guptill for the past several years, came to an end on January 30, 1954, because the supply of eligible veterans was nearly exhausted. The three veterans who had not completed their courses were given the opportunity to transfer to similar courses in nearby communities.

The state director of Civilian Defense requested that all schools start immediately to organize and carry out air raid drills. This matter was carefully considered by your School Board and they finally decided that such drills would add unduly to the worry and nervous strain of the pupils. However, plans for air raid drills are being developed in conjunction with the suggestions of the local director and these plans will be presented to the teachers. No actual drills will take place unless an emergency develops.

Repairs

As often develops we find that there is need for more money than we actually have, to take care of the many little repairs which become necessary in two large old buildings. Your School Board has been very careful in checking each item and getting it done at the least expense consistent with good workmanship.

Under a special item in the budget we were empowered to do something about the well at the Orfordville School. A competent well digger reamed out the old well and went down a few feet where he obtained a flow of six gallons per minute. This was more than adequate for our needs. With the installation of a new pump everything seemed to be satisfactory. However, several times since last summer the water has become riled and muddy making it unusable as drinking water for several days. With the remaining funds in this account the School Board plans to have the walls of the present well blocked with new pipe and sink the well deeper in the hopes of finding a vein which is clear and pure.

A new merry-go-round was purchased for the Orfordville school and this has been a delight for the youngsters. We also purchased an additional strip film machine so that

each school could have one of its own. The hot lunch program purchased from its own funds a freezer locker on the school plan which allows them a big discount. This was needed because of the hundreds of pounds of frozen foods which are given to the program by the federal government.

A new water pollution law requires that we cease emptying our sewerage at Orfordville into the brook. For this reason special funds have been placed in next year's budget to install a proper sewerage disposal tank.

The need still exists for a suitable addition to our high school plant which would not only provide for many small areas such as dressing rooms, teachers rooms, conference rooms, etc., but would also provide a large area which could be used for school plays, basketball, assemblies, meetings, dances and other school functions.

General

By joining in with the other three towns in this Supervisory Union the opportunities of the World Insurance School policy are now available to all the pupils. For $1.25 any pupil may be insured against all accidents occurring during school time or in any school sponsored athletic event.

Your School Board has been intensly interested in school affairs and problems. They have shown a willingness to give unstintingly of their time and efforts to provide the best possible program and at the same time keep within the limits of a reasonable budget. It has been a pleasure to work with them.

Your Parent-Teacher Association has continued its efforts to provide a good relationship between the home and the school. Their programs have been interesting and stimulating. The large attendance at many of their meetings is an evidence of the effectiveness of their endeavors.

A state meeting on school transportation was held at Concord this fall. Your superintendent and school bus operator attended. We received many suggestions for improved school bus operation and will plan to attend again if a similar meeting is held next year.

The Boston and Maine Railroad has petitioned for the closing of the branch between Plymouth and Woodsville. Orford was represented at the hearing, at which time evi-

dence was introduced that Orford High School could accommodate any pupils who were denied transportation to other high schools. No definite ruling on this petition is expected until next Spring.

A new school law was passed by the last legislature requiring all pupils to attend school until they are sixteen years old. The old law permitted them to leave at the age of fourteen if they had completed the eighth grade. This would apply only in rare instances in Orford because most of our pupils have remained until graduation or at least until they are over sixteen.

It has been a real pleasure indeed to work for the School District of Orford where people take a real interest in their schools and at the same time always maintain a friendly attitude. In closing I would like to thank all those, parents, School Board members, teachers, custodians, pupils and others who have helped to produce good schools for Orford.

Respectfully submitted,
HOWARD F. MASON,
Superintendent of Schools

Enrollment in the Orford Schools, January, 1954

		Per room	Per group	Total
I	11			
II	10	21		
III	12			
IV	12	24	45	
V	16			
VI	19	35		
VII	15			
VIII	12	27	62	
IX	25			
X	20			
XI	17			
XII	15		77	184

Enrollment by Years as of January

	High	Elementary	Total
1954	77	107	184
1953	71	113	184
1952	67	117	184
1951	58	115	173
1950	64	129	193
1949	56	116	172
1948	55	103	158

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ORFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT, ORFORD, N. H., 1954

The School Board of the School District of Orford herewith submits its annual report, together with the report of the Superintendent of Schools.

School District Organization

Moderator	Elton C. Woodward
School District Clerk	Hazel W. Huckins
School District Treasurer	Hazel W. Huckins
Auditors	Ruth M. Swan
	Menta W. Sawyer
Truant Officer	Ralph Mack
School Board	Glenn F. Pease, Chairman
	Emily A. Hall, Secretary
	Harvey L. Washburn

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE ORFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1952 and Ending June 30, 1953

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

HOWARD F. MASON,
Superintendent

GLENN F. PEASE,
EMILY ALDEN HALL,
HARVEY L. WASHBURN,
School Board

Receipts

Federal Aid		
Federal aid for Home Economics and Agri.	$ 1,666.64	
Nat. School Lunch	722.04	
Veterans' Training	2,855.17	
		$ 5,243.85
State Aid		
Foundation Aid	$ 2,899.13	
		$ 2,899.13
Local Taxation		
Current Appropriation	$31,140.39	
Bal. of Previous Appropriations	1,500.00	
		$32,640.39
Other Sources		
Secondary School Tuitions	$ 7,839.65	
Other	386.32	
		$ 8,225.97
Total Net Reeipts from All Sources		$49,009.34
Cash on hand at Beginning of Year, July 1, 1952		214.43
Grand Total		$49,223.77

Explanation of Difference Between Net (Actual) Receipts and Gross Transactions

Total Net Income Plus Cash on Hand July 1, 1952	$49,223.77
Receipts from Refunds, Double Payments, "In and Out" Transactions Between Districts	114.35
Total Gross Income	$49,338.12

Payments

Administration	
Salaries of District Officers	$ 304.00
*Superintendent's Salary (Local Share)	446.98
Tax for State Wide Supervision	312.00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	238.16
Supplies and Expenses	442.27
Instruction	
Teachers' Salaries	21,993.39
Principals' Salaries	3,950.00
Books and Other Instructional Aids	608.92
Scholars' Supplies	773.42
Supplies and Other Expenses	552.98

Operation of School Plant	
Salaries of Janitors	1,600.00
Fuel or Heat	1,494.02
Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	757.46
Maintenance of School Plant	
Repairs and Replacements	1,745.17
Auxiliary Activities	
Health Supervision	550.66
Transportation	3,473.00
Special Activities and Special Funds	389.84
School Lunch (Federal and District Funds Only)	1,422.04
Fixed Charges	
Retirement	1,583.29
Insurance, Treas. Bonds and Expenses	646.30
Total Current Expenses	$43,283.90
Capital Outlay	
New Equipment	580.13
Debt and Interest	
None	
Adult Education	
Veterans' Training Program	2,712.07
Total Payments for All Purposes	$46,576.10
Cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1953)	2,647.67
Grand Total	$49,223.77
Explanation of Difference Between Net (Actual) Expenditures and Gross Transactions	
Total Net Payments plus Cash on Hand June 30, 1953	$49,223.77
Payments Refunded or Returned, Payments Made on Centralized Purchasing for Other Districts	114.35
Total Gross Payments	$49,338.12

*Hanover $2,856.14, Enfield $855.65, Lyme $441.23, State $2,275.00.

BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1953

Assets

Cash on Hand, June 30, 1953 (Including Building Fund)	$ 2,647.67
Total Assets	$ 2,647.67

Liabilities

Accounts owed by District	
Wilson Office Equipment	$ 180.00
J. I. Holcomb	37.61
The Groiler Society	18.15
Total Liabilities	$ 235.76
Surplus (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)	2,411.91
Grand Total	$ 2,647.67

TEACHERS AS OF JANUARY 1, 1954

	Enrollment
Elmer B. Fulton, Principal	77
Winifred B. Edoff, Home Economics	
Leroy A. Guptill, Agriculture and Mathematics	
Frederick C. Richardson, Science and Mathematics	
Marjorie T. Scott, Commercial	
Hazel A. Donnelly, Grades 5 and 6	35
Carole A. Lavoie, Grades 7 and 8	27
Ramona Flanagan, Grades 1 and 2	21
Ethel R. Millen, Grades 3 and 4	24
Jane MacGinnis, Art and Music	
Anna Lovett, Nurse	
	184

SCHOOL LUNCH

Receipts

District General Fund	$ 700.00
Other Receipts	3,251.76
Total Receipts	$ 3,951.76
Cash on Hand, July 1, 1952	330.14
Grand Total	$ 4,281.90

Payments

High School	$ 1,256.14
Elementary	2,741.08
Total Payments	$ 3,997.22
Cash on Hand June 30, 1952	284.68
Grand Total	$ 4,281.90

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1953	$ 284.68
Total Assets	$ 284.68

Liabilities

Excess Assets over Liabilities	$ 284.68
Grand Total	$ 284.68

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1953

Cash on Hand July 1, 1952		$ 214.43
Received from Selectmen		
Current Appropriation	$31,140.39	
Bal. of Previous Appropriation	1,500.00	
Received from State Treasurer		
State Funds	2,899.13	
Federal Funds	2,388.68	
Received Directly from Federal Agencies	2,855.17	
Received from Tuitions	7,917.13	
Received from all Other Sources	423.19	
		$49,123.69
Total Amount available for Fiscal Year		$49,338.12
Less School Board Orders Paid and Service Charges		$46,690.45
Balance on Hand June 30, 1953		$ 2,647.67

HAZEL W. HUCKINS,
District Treasurer

June 30, 1953

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Orford, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1953 and find them correct in all respects.

RUTH M. SWAN,
MENTA W. SAWYER,
Auditors

July 24, 1953

ORFORD SCHOOL CALENDAR

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Schools open Wednesday, September 8
Teachers' Convention, Thursday and Friday, October 14 - 15
Thanksgiving Vacation—Schools close Wednesday, November 24 (12:15)
Schools open Monday, November 29
Christmas Vacation—Schools close Friday, December 17
Schools open Monday, January 3
Winter Vacation—Schools close Friday, February 18
Schools open Monday, Februry 28
Spring Vacation—Schools close Friday, April 22
Schools open Monday, May 2
Memorial Day, Monday, May 30
Schools close Friday, June 17

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

1952 - 1953

1952	
July	
Town of Orford, Balance	$ 1,714.43
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	250.08
Winfield J. Phillips, Agriculture and Home Economics	20.98
August	
Town of Orford, Appropriation	1,000.00
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	250.08
September	
Harold Swan, Sale of Sink	5.00
Mrs. Pomeroy, Rent of Piano	10.00
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	250.08
Town of Orford, Appropriation	3,500.00
October	
Clara B. Berry, Refund Blue Cross	6.60
Town of Orford, Appropriation	500.00
Town of Orford, Appropriation	4,500.00
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	250.08
November	
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	247.06

Winfield J. Phillips, Equalization	2,899.13
Town of Orford, Appropriation	1,500.00
Macmillan Company, Refund	.50
December	
Town of Wentworth, Tuition	810.00
Town of Warren, Tuition	270.00
Town of Lyme, Tuition	2,584.37
Winfield J. Phillips, Hot Lunch	48.12
Athletic Association, Telephone	1.20
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	218.82
1953	
January	
Town of Orford, Appropriation	5,000.00
Town of Orford, Rents and Appropriation	5,511.71
Elmer B. Fulton, Telephone	2.15
Alfred S. Cloues, Hot Lunch	92.70
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	221.82
R. S. Sawyer Company, Refund	.22
Winfield J. Phillips, Hot LunchVille	41.58
Winfield J. Phillips, Hot Lunch Street	66.96
February	
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	187.56
March	
Winfield J. Phillips, Hot Lunch Ville	55.74
Winfield J. Phillips, Hot Lunch Street	94.62
Town of Orford, Appropriation	2,000.00
Warren School Dist., Tuition	460.13
Alfred S. Cloues, Hot Lunch Ville	40.98
Alfred S. Cloues, Hot Lunch Street	65.04
Fairlee School District, Tuition	62.70
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	187.56
Hazel Huckins, Refund	25.00
Lyme School District, Tuition	2,815.63
April	
Monroe School District, Tuition	104.30
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	337.43
Elmer B. Fulton, Telephone	1.20
Wentworth School District, Tuition	810.00
Alfred S. Cloues, Lunch Ville	56.76
May	
Alfred S. Cloues, Hot Lunch Street	76.56
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	227.30
Alfred S. Cloues, Hot Lunch Ville	34.86
Town of Orford, Appropriation	4,000.00

June	
Town of Orford, Appropriation	4,000.00
U. S. Treasury, Veterans' Aid	227.30
Alfred S. Cloues, Agriculture	1,452.51
Alfred S. Cloues, Home Economics	193.15
Alfred S. Cloues, Hot Lunch Street	48.12
Total Receipts	$49,338.12

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

1952 - 53

Administration

Detail 1. Salaries of District Officers

Frederick I. Becton	$ 50.00
Rebecca M. Green	50.00
Emily Hall	75.00
Glenn F. Pease	25.00
Harvey L. Washburn	25.00
Hazel W. Huckins, Treasurer	75.00
Hazel W. Huckins, Clerk	9.00
Elton C. Woodward, Moderator	10.00
Ruth M. Swan, Auditor	5.00
Menta W. Sawyer, Auditor	5.00
	$ 329.00

Detail 2.—Superintendent's Salary (Local Share)

Mrs. Fred P. Carr	$ 446.98

Detail 3. Tax for Statewide Supervision

State of New Hampshire	$ 312.00

Detail 4. Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel

Dorothy E. Greer, Census	$ 30.00
Fred J. Sanborn	20.00
Superintendent's Salary	188.16
	$ 238.16

Detail 5. Supplies and Expenses

Hazel Huckins	$ 14.70
Edward Usher Company	5.21
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company	183.27
Vinton School Form Company	5.02
Edson C. Eastman Company, Inc.	3.17
Bank Service Charge	3.20
Mrs. Fred P. Carr	116.67
Howard F. Mason	11.70
Elmer B. Fulton	46.22
Frederick I. Becton	2.13
Hanover School District	55.53
	$ 446.82

Instruction

Detail 6. Teachers' Salaries

Clara B. Berry	$ 1,874.20
Theresa A. Blanchette	2,002.80
Ruth Brown	7.00
Hazel A. Donnelly	1,730.90
Winifred B. Edoff	1,962.70
Mrs. Alice Farnham	7.00
Mrs. Ramona Flanagan	1,736.60
Mr. Elmer B. Fulton	3,149.50
Mrs. Elmer B. Fulton	30.00
Leroy A. Guptill	3,114.89
Reverend Hugh P. Holland	14.00
Jane MacGinnis	741.52
Winnifred B. Merriman	11.00
Ethel Millen	1,960.20
Clara Perkins	63.00
Frederick C. Richardson	1,943.40
Mrs. Jackson Webb	28.00
Collector of Internal Revenue	3,383.90
N. H. Teachers Retirement System	1,704.48
N. H. - Vt. Hospitalization Service	484.90
	$25,949.99

Detail 7. Books and Instructional Aids

Harcourt, Brace and Company, Inc.	$ 68.69
J. B. Lippincott Company	7.34
Ginn and Company	294.03
John Wiley and Sons, Inc.	9.08

Houghton Mifflin Company	29.58
Funk and Wagnalls Company	3.12
McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc.	40.12
O. H. Toothaker	22.66
Allyn and Bacon, Inc.	10.76
Webster Publishing Company	15.70
Henry Holt and Company	6.40
South-Western Publishing Company	18.85
Wilcox and Follett Company	21.06
The Outline Company	2.45
The Macmillan Company	11.78
Scott, Foresman and Company	24.31
D. C. Heath and Company	14.02
Charles Scribner's Sons	4.97
Row, Peterson and Company	4.00
	$ 608.92

Detail 8. Scholar's Supplies

Mainco Trading Company	$ 97.30
Gledhill Brothers Inc.	70.33
Milton Bradley Company	95.97
J. L. Hammett Company	109.79
Henry S. Wolkins Company	68.98
Ginn and Company	1.73
Houghton Mifflin Company	8.11
Allyn and Bacon, Inc.	17.52
Webster Publishing Company	26.96
H. S. Kinsman Company, Inc.	8.93
Scott, Foresman and Company	16.16
McCormick-Mathers Publishing Company	14.20
The Interstate Printers and Publishers	18.95
Association of Teachers of Agriculture of New York	4.00
Biological Supply Company	30.19
Elmer B. Fulton	16.81
C. C. Birchard and Company	8.08
White River Paper Company	18.11
South-Western Publishing Company	28.68
Henry A. Horton	37.33
F. W. Faxon Company, Inc.	7.50
E. & D. Whittemore	3.33
Office Supply Center, Inc.	2.70
Theodore Presser Company	3.36
Chapman's Pharmacy	.45
Mrs. Jane MacGinnis	3.48
New York Herald Tribune	.84

Row, Peterson and Company	20.30
The Zaner-Bloser Company	30.60
Ditto, Inc.	3.23
	$ 773.92

Detail 9. Salaries of Clerical Assistants

None

Detail 10. Supplies and Other Expenses

University of New Hampshire	$ 6.32
New York Herald Tribune	18.50
Today's Secretary and Business Education World	3.75
McKinley Publishing Company	3.06
The New York Times Company	12.00
Dictaphone Corporation	9.50
Study Films Center	2.88
Row, Peterson and Company	22.51
Elmer B. Fulton	15.18
California Test Bureau	8.98
Ladd Visual Service	.76
The Macmillan Company	3.07
Encyclopedaedia Britannica	4.95
Rice Film Company	1.68
P. F. Collier and Son	3.95
Motivation Charts, Inc.	2.23
Leonard S. Morrison	3.72
A. J. Nystrom and Company	10.01
J. L. Hammett Company	20.26
World Book Company	7.27
British Information Services	4.53
The Boston Music Company, Publishers	.60
Junior Review	4.80
Winifred B. Edoff	19.59
Leroy A. Guptill	260.62
F. E. Compton and Company, Publishers	96.84
Mrs. Henry Flanagan	5.42
	$ 552.98

Operation of School Plant

Detail 11. Salaries of Janitors

Guy Huntington	$ 1,600.00

Detail 12. Fuel or Heat

H. W. Johnson and Sons	$ 1,473.02
Suburban Natural Gas Company	21.00
	$ 1,494.02

Detail 13. Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses

White River Paper Company	$ 84.84
Boston Janitors Supply Company, Inc.	307.33
Reggie Davis	.36
Connecticut Valley Electric	312.86
N. H. Equipment Company	17.04
Guy Huntington	24.00
Chapman's Pharmacy	5.22
Elmer B. Fulton	.61
Wadsworth Hardware	4.45
Perry Mativia	.75
	$ 757.46

Maintenance of School Plant

Detail 14 Repairs and Replacement

Roy C. Abbott	$ 10.00
Reggie Davis	22.26
L. C. Smith and Corona Typewriters, Inc.	80.00
H. E. Humphreys Company, Inc.	59.28
St. Johnsbury Trucking Company, Inc.	2.05
Lehman H. Celley	493.00
Heath and Sons	225.00
Royal Typewriter Company, Inc.	90.00
Office Supply Center, Inc.	70.99
Frederick H. Johnson Jr.	12.00
Clyde A. Cummings	24.00
Harold W. Swan	222.49
Perley Colby	120.81
H. W. Johnson and Sons	29.12
Philip L. Bean	22.50
Hanover Hardware Company	2.25
Wadsworth Hardware	10.80
Elmer B. Fulton	12.70
J. L. Hammett Company	2.69
Ward and Baird, Inc.	16.16
Henry A. Horton	86.20
Guy Huntington	35.00

Caledonia Typewriter Company	6.00
Scruggs	62.45
Huntington's Garage	4.00
Chapman's Pharmacy	2.00
Hanover School District	1.00
Boston Janitors Supply Company, Inc.	13.40
Gledhill Brothers, Inc.	2.50
Perry Mativia	4.52
	$ 1,745.17

Auxiliary Agencies

Detail 15. Health Supervision

Anna Lovett	$ 348.40
Dr. Marshall G. Hall	150.00
Chapman's Pharmacy	18.29
Elmer B. Fulton	4.66
Rebecca M. Green	2.71
N. H. Retirement System	26.82
	$ 550.88

Detail 16. Transportation

Chester Pierce	$ 3,473.00

Detail 17. Tuition

Girard Menard	$ 77.48

Special Activities and Special Funds

Detail 18. Athletic Funds

Dartmouth Co-op Society, Inc.	$ 7.35
Elmer B. Fulton	200.00

Home Economics

Currier and Company	$ 16.00
Elm Corner Market	76.10
Clover Farm Store	.90
Elmer B. Fulton	5.93
Economy Market	2.12
Winifred B. Edoff	26.54
Nasco, Inc.	21.13

Hot Lunches

Elmer B. Fulton	$ 894.00
Ethel R. Millen	528.04
Guy Huntington	4.00

Miscellaneous

H. W. Johnson and Sons	$ 29.77
	$ 1,811.88

Fixed Charges

Detail 19. Retirement

New Hampshire Retirement System	$ 1,583.20

Detail 20. Insurance, Bonds and Expenses

Henry H. Carr (Treasurer's Bond)	$ 10.00
Henry H. Carr (Insurance)	612.50
N. H. School Boards Association	5.00
NESDEC	18.80
	$ 646.30

Detail 23. New Equipment

Guy Huntington	$ 2.00
Office Supply Center	215.70
Biological Supply Company	5.08
United Chemical Company, Inc.	194.00
Milton Bradley Company	163.35
	$ 3,580.13

Detail 27. Veterans Program

Guy Huntington	$ 189.60
Leroy Guptill	1,988.45
Collector of Internal Revenue	290.00
McGraw Hill Book Company, Inc.	5.80
Hathorn's Inc.	49.62
Wadsworth Hardware	77.88
H. W. Johnson and Sons	28.16
D. C. McLam	18.96
Henry A. Horton	56.00
Grafton County Farm Bureau	3.60
C. H. Dana Company	4.00
	$ 2,712.07
Total Payments	$46,690.45

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

TO THE ORFORD SCHOOL BOARD:

I herewith submit my report as School Nurse which covers the period of the school year 1952-53.

164 children were inspected by the school physician and 35 by the school nurse with the following defects recorded:

Dental	61
Tonsils	17
Glands	14
Orthopedic	4
Posture	12
Heart	4
Vision	19
Hearing	7
Skin	6
Scalp	2

The nurse made the vision and hearing tests and weighed and measured the children. These corrections were reported made:

Dental	91
Tonsils	3
Vision, new glasses and lens changed	35
Hearing	1
Skin	6
Scalp	2

Three children had eye examinations and glasses through the Sight Conservation Program, and three children had treatments through the Orthopedic Clinic at Hanover. On May 21, 1953, five children had pre-school physicals by the School Physician, Dr. Hall. Several children have had chest X-rays this year. Very few communicable diseases were reported which are as follows:

Chicken Pox	1
Measles	1
Mumps	3
Scabies	4
Impetigo	1

Pediculosis	2
Ring Worms	1

I have made 122 school calls, 67 home calls, and innumerable business and phone calls and written many letters in carrying on the health program in the school.

Healthful living, based on prevention of illness, is constantly being taught by the teachers in the schools. As one has said, "To cure is the voice of the past; to prevent, the divine whisper of today"

I thank the School Board, Superintendent, teachers, pupils, and parents for their kind help during the past year.

Respectfully submittedd,

ANNA M. LOVETT, R. N.

OFORD BUDGET

		Spent 1952-53	Budget 1953-54	Proposed Budget 1954-55
1.	Salaries of District Officers	$ 329.00	$ 319.00	$ 320.00
2.	Superintendent's Salary (Local Share)	446.98	488.66	470.83
3.	Tax for Statewide Supervision	312.00	326.00	328.00
4.	Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	238.16	461.00	445.84
5.	Supplies and Expenses	446.82	475.00	470.00
6.	Principals' and Teachers' Salaries	25,949.99	27,960.00	31,475.00
7.	Books and Other Instructional Aids	608.92	650.00	650.00
8.	Scholars' Supplies	773.92	750.00	750.00
10.	Supplies and Other Expenses	552.98	465.00	585.00
11.	Salaries of Janitors	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,800.00
12.	Fuel or Heat	1,494.02	1,717.50	1,653.75
13.	Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	757.46	725.00	765.00
14.	Repairs and Replacements	1,745.17	880.00	953.00
15.	Health Supervision	550.88	575.00	575.00
16.	Transportation	3,473.00	3,488.00	3,470.00
17.	Tuition	77.48		
18.	Special Activities and Special Funds	1,811.88	2,000.00	1,800.00
19.	Retirement	1,583.29	1,697.68	1,960.35
20.	Insurance, Treasurer's Bond and Expenses	646.30	371.00	259.00
22.	Additions and Improvements to Property		1,500.00	1,200.00
23.	New Equipment	580.13	800.00	1,250.00
27.	Veterans' Program	2,712.07	2,600.00	
TOTALS		$46,690.45	$49,848.84	$51,180.77

	Actual Receipts 1952-53	Estimated Receipts 1953-54	Estimated Receipts 1954-55
Balance	$ 1,714.43	$ 2,400.00	$ 1,500.00
Veterans' Program (in and out)	2,855.17	2,600.00	
Federal Hot Lunch (in and out)	722.04	1,000.00	800.00
Federal Teachers' Reimbursement	1,666.64	1,500.00	1,600.00
*State Aid	2,899.13	6,140.20	6,140.20
Tuition	7,917.13	8,835.00	10,850.00
Other	423.19	100.00	100.00
TOTALS	$18,197.73	$22,575.20	$20,990.20
Estimated Expenditures	$46,690.45	$49,848.84	$51,180.77
Estimated Receipts	18,197.73	22,575.20	20,990.20
To Be Raised by Taxation	$31,140.39	$27,273.64	$30,190.57

*Question mark after State Aid Estimated Receipts

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ORFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1953

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex and Condition			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Male or Female	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child 1st, 2nd, etc.						
Jan. 6	Hanover, N. H.	Diane Kay	F.	Living	2	Richard E. Brown	Ruth Grace Ladd	Orford, N. H.	Mechanic	Lebanon, N. H.	Haverhill, N. H.
Jan. 19	Hanover, N. H.	Harrison Gerald	M.	Living	1	Gerald E. Pease	Doris E. Quackenbush	Orford, N. H.	Farmer	Plymouth, N. H.	Feeding Hills, Mass.
Feb. 13	Hanover, N. H.	Baby Young	M.	Living	3	Leon F. Young	Winifred A Streeter	Orford, N. H.	Laborer	Orford, N. H.	Orfordville, N. H.
Mar. 21	Lebanon, N. H.	Bryan Wyness	M.	Living	3	Keith M. Robie	Verna E. Tunker	Orford, N. H.	Plant Manager	Piermont, N. H.	Orange, Vt.
May 3	Hanover, N. H.	Linda Ann	F.	Living	1	Dawson J. Benjamin	Shirley H. Joslyn	Orford, N. H.	U.S. Marine Corps	Norwich, Vt.	Island Falls, Me.
June 13	Lebanon, N. H.	Martha Karen Ray	F.	Living	3	William G. Clark	Martha H. Balkcom	Orford, N. H.	Farmer	Ridgewood, N. J.	Macon, Ga.
June 24	Lebanon, N. H.	Robert Stanley	M.	Living	4	Richard F. Fillian	Sara D. Holland	Orford, N. H.	Mechanic	Orfordville, N. H.	Rahobeth Beach, Del.
Aug. 6	Haverhill, N. H	Robert Lee	M.	Living	4	Walter E. Kenneson	Pearl L. Moses	Orford, N. H.	Laborer	Lowell, Mass.	Hanover, N. H.
Aug. 26	Haverhill, N. H	James Lester	M.	Living	4	Lester E. Hook	Marian Lanefski	Orford, N. H.	Machinist	Stamford, Conn.	Stamford, Conn.
Oct. 4	Lebanon, N. H.	George	M.	Living	1	Frederick C. Richardson	Ingemarie Morgan	Orford, N. H.	Teacher	Boston, Mass.	Waterbury, Conn.
Nov. 2	Haverhill, N. H.	Paul Arthur	M.	Living	3	Guy W. Smith	Virginia R. Roberts	Orford, N. H.	Auto Body Repair	Orford, N. H.	Fairlee, Vt.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HAZEL W. HUCKINS, Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ORFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1953

Date		Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	AGE Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth	Sex and Condit'n Male or Female	Single, Married, Div. or Widowed	Occupation	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Jan.	11	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Melzar L. Watson	74			Franconia, N. H.	M	M	Farmer	Ai Watson	
Jan.	12	Center Harbor, N. H.	Almira A. Savage	93			Orford, N. H.	F			George Savage	
Feb.	14	Hanover, N. H.	Baby Young	13 h.	7 m.		Hanover, N. H.	M		None	Leon F. Young	Winifred Streeter
Feb.	22	Canaan, N. H.	Linda Morse	1	3	8	Lebanon, N. H.	F		None	Harold Morse	Grace Marsh
Mar.	12	Wang-jing-Myon, Korea	Clayton M. Huckins	20	11	26	Hanover, N. H.	M	S	U. S. Army	George C. Huckins	Hazel M. Williams
Mar	26	Haverhill, N. H.	Ella P. Wilson	77			Concord, N. H.	F	W	Retired	Frederik K. Frencl	Ella Carr
May	17	Hanover, N. H.	Charles Davis	75			North Groton, N. H.	M	W	Retired	Daniel Davis	Lavica Quimby
May	26	Manchester, N. H.	Daniel F. Tillotson	75			Orford, N. H.	M	M		Daniel Tillotson	Della R. Gardner
July	14	Orford, N. H.	John E. Owsley	71			Chicago, Ill.	M	M	Business Executive	Heaton Owsley	Carolyn Byrne
July	19	Hanover, N. H.	Fred J. Sanborn	73			Bradford, Vt.	M	M		Charles Sanborn	Abbie Chase
Aug.	15	Franklin, N. H.	Harold F. Lynes	44			Hardwick, Vt.	M	M	Truck Driver	Frank E. Lynes	Mary A. Colderwood
Aug.	27	Orford, N. H.	Larina Greenly	86			Orford, N.	F	W	Home	Merrill Rugg	Amanda Ellis
Sept.	15	Worcester, Mass.	Fred G. Cutting	66			Orford, N. H.	M	M		Samuel Cutting	Julia Gardner
Sept.	20	Orford, N. H.	Jay W. Donnelly	68			Colebrook, N. H.	M	M	Retired	William J. Donnelly	Edith Lampson
Oct.	28	Hanover, N. H.	Frank D. Marsh	57			Orford, N. H.	M	M	Roof and Chimney Sweep	David C. Marsh	Delia Smith
Nov.	11	Orford, N. H.	Dudley E. Clough	71			Bath, N. H.	M	M	Farm Labor	Solon Clough	Lizzie Weeks
Dec.	27	Orford, N H.	Carl Lindgren	74			Sweden	M	M	Retired	Carl A. Lindgren	Annie Anderson
Dec.	30	Hanover, N. H.	Delia Marsh	80			Corinth, Vt.	F	W	Retired	Joseph Smith	Irene Felch

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HAZEL W. HUCKINS, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ORFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1953

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Age	Occupation of Bride and Groom	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	No. of Marriages	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom Married
*Dec. 6, 1952	Fairlee, Vt.	Floyd Alfred Garrett	25	Truck Driver	Winchendon, Mass.	Eugene Garrett Lauramay Cummings	Woodbury, Ga. Keene, N. H.	1	Justice of the Peace, Fairlee, Vt.
		June Althea Marsh	16	At Home	Wentworth, N. H.	Ralph Marsh Gladys Cutler	Orford, N. H. Grafton, N. H.	1	
June 28, 1953	Fairlee, Vt.	Douglas Harold Huntley	18	Cook	Barre, Vt.	Merton C. Huntley Elsie Chandler	Waterbury, Vt. East Barre, Vt.	1	Rev. J. Holland Maughan, Clergyman, Orford, N. H. (Special License)
		Irene May Davis	20	Office Worker	Lyme, N. H.	Gerald W. Davis Hattie K. Davis	North Groton, N. H. Canada	1	
July 2	Orford, N. H.	Charles Andrew Parker	30	Laborer	Newport Center, Vt.	Walter J. Parker Carrie Kitterage	Adj. Cliffs, Canada Newport Center, Vt.	1 1	Rev. J. Holland Maughan, Clergyman, Orford, N. H.
		Freda Iola Marsh	18	At Home	Wentworth, N. H.	Ralph E. Marsh Gladys Cutler	Orford, N. H. Grafton, N. H.		
Aug. 4	Craftsbury, Vt.	Frank Edward Lynes	80	Retired	Highgate, Vt.	Franklin L. Lynes Elizabeth McIntosh		2	Rev. Walter P. Waldo, Clergyman, Craftsbury Common, Vt.
		Nettie E. Waterhouse	71	Housewife	Glover, Vt.	James Calderwood Caroline Spring	Scotland Glover, Vt.	2	
xOct. 22	Orford, N. H.	Neil Heath Sanborn	16	Student	Orford, N. H.	Joseph H. Sanborn Helen E. Baker	Plymouth, N. H. Hanover, N. H.	1	Rev. J. Holland Maughan, Clergyman, Orford N. H.
		Theresa May Hudson	15	Student	Lowell, Mass.	Furman W. Hudson Lillian Mangerson	Yarmouth, N. S. North Reading, Mass.	1	
Nov. 14	Orford, N. H.	Elton Carmi Woodward	49	Gardner	Lyme, N. H.	Herbert E. Woodward Jennie L. Colburn	Montgomery, Vt. Berkshire, Vt.	2	Rev. J. Holland Maughan, Clergyman, Orford, N. H.
		Dorothy Elizabeth Abbie Greer	45	Teacher	Bradford, Vt.	Fred H. Sanborn Lilla Demar	Bradford, Vt. Franklin, N. H.	2	
Nov. 17	Woodsville, N. H.	Bradley Zenas Morey	51	Road Agent	Orford, N. H.	Edward S. Morey Esther McIntyre	Thetford, Vt. Inverness, Canada	3	Harold K. Davison, Justice of the Peace, Woodsville, N. H.
		Clementine Ina Roberts	55	Diner Manager	Orford, N. H.	Arthur J. Richardson Hattie Gardner	Orford, N. H. Orford, N. H.	2	

Dec. 25	Keene, N. H.	Nelson Raymond Greer		Truck Driver	New Hampshire	William T. Greer	New Brunswick, Canada	2	Rev. Orrin S. Kosmo, Clergyman,
	.					Ida Howard	Littleton, N. H.	2	Keene, N. H.
		Eleanor Dix Messer		Artist	Vermont	Ernest A. Dix	Brattleboro, Vt.		
						Sarah Louise Putnam	Springfield, Vt.		

*Received too late for 1952 report. xCourt Permission and 5 day waiver law.

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HAZEL W. HUCKINS, Town Clerk.

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